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# The Cedarville Herald.

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TWENTY-FOURTH YEAR. NO. 54.

CEDARVILLE, OHIO, AUGUST 10, 1901.

PRICE \$1.00 A YEAR.

## Summer Wearables Now in Order

Light Weight Underwear, 25 to 50c per Garment.

Straw Hats, 25, 50, 75c and \$1.00.

Negligee Shirts, 50, 75c and \$1.00.

Fancy Sox.

Medium and Low High Band Laying Collars, sizes 12 1/2 to 17, and

Correct Ties to go with them.

We Make Clothes to Please Our Patrons.

I. C. DAVIS,  
Tailor, Hatter, and  
Furnisher.

### School Book-Question Settled.

The School Board assembled in the Mayor's office Monday evening to finish up the business in regard to changing the text books. After some discussion the board adopted White's Language Lessons, Welch's Arithmetic and Metcalf and Bright's Language for higher grades. Owing to the fire meeting, the time was late when they commenced and consequently they could not finish. Bids were read for furnishing two car loads of coal delivered to the cellar, The D. S. Ervin Co. being the successful bidder. The board then took a recess until Tuesday evening.

Tuesday evening found all members present and the book question was again taken up. The Alfred Montgomery system was adopted, as were Montgomery's history for the higher grades, and Morley's Stepping Stones to History for the primary. The board took no action on the high school books and Latin owing to the absence of the professor.

The question then came up as to who should handle the books for the coming year. O. M. Ridgway handled them heretofore. On the first ballot, Ridgway was nominated, receiving 4 votes, Bird, 2; Cooper, 1. On the call vote for record, Ridgway lost by a vote of 4 to 3. For a number of ballots the vote stood, Ridgway 3, Bird 3, Cooper 1, and Bird was declared elected to handle the books. The resignation which had been handed in at previous meeting was accepted and the applications read. Miss Marie McFarland was elected to fill the vacancy. The Board then adjourned to meet at the call of the president.

### More Domestic Trouble.

Shelton Huggins became a little rough in his domestic sociability last Saturday night. It is said that he has frequently imposed on his better half and treated her in a brutal manner. On the above evening he was taken in by the proper officials, and spent the Sabbath in Marshall. Grindle's quarters. Monday morning he was arraigned before Mayor Wolford on a charge of disorderly conduct, the charge being sworn out by the officers. The Mayor was very lenient with Shelton, as he only received a sentence of \$5, costs and twenty days. Marshall Grindle took the prisoner to Xenia where he will learn the art of broom and brush making. It will require about 60 days to work out the entire sentence.

### Old "Ocean."

The old fire engine "Ocean," which has done service for a number of years, was taken to Springfield where it was used last Monday in the parade on the opening of the Centennial celebration of that city. The Sun has the following to say:

"Among the novel features of the parade was the old fire engine from Cedarville. Many who saw it had no idea what it was. It is of the old hand engine type, and has seen scores of years of service. While it is now antedated by the modern steam fire engine, it is still in working order and gives a definite idea of the means of our forefathers used in fighting fire.

### Grand Conclave at Louisville, Ky.

The C. H. & D. Ry. will sell tickets at greatly reduced rates to Louisville, Ky., and return account of the Knights Templar Conclave. Tickets on sale August 24, 25, 26, 27 and 28, good to return leaving Louisville not later than September 16. Any further particulars will be cheerfully given by C. H. & D. agents, or at the N. G. Edwards, Passenger Traffic Manager, Cincinnati.

### Excursion to Mt. Vernon.

Excursion tickets to Mt. Vernon will be sold via Pennsylvania Lines August 9th to 20th, inclusive, at account State Camp Meeting. Return limit August 23d. For particulars see Ticket Agents of Pennsylvania Lines.

### Starts October First.

Postmaster Tarbox received official notification that our three rural routes which were inspected by Agent Kephau some time ago, have been granted and that they will start from this place October 1st.

Patrons along the proposed routes will receive this news with gladness as they have anxiously awaited it for several months.

Mr. Tarbox has worked hard to secure this service for our country friends and all should take an interest in our office to keep it up to the present standard.

Mr. Tarbox has the honor of raising the office up to the third class, he being the first postmaster under presidential appointment. His term will expire with the next few months and we anxiously await his reappointment, as he has made a good official and is deserving of another term.

### At The Paper Mill.

The new machine which was put in the mill by the O. S. Kelly Co., of Springfield, for the purpose of experimenting, has proven a success, as the paper company is using it instead of the old beater. The machine is used for grinding up the cooked straw to a fine fiber, and more paper is being made under this process than the former. Several days ago the record was broken, as 48,000 pounds or 24 tons were made in one day.

The chances are that unless we have rain soon the company will be forced to close down as they were a few years ago owing to the scarcity of water. The creek is very low and the air pump is pressed into service to pump water from the deep well. This well would probably furnish enough water for use in the mill, but it is impossible to pump out a sufficient quantity, owing to the depth of the well.

The soot in the smoke, stuck caught fire Tuesday night and some little excitement was experienced, as the burning went was falling in the vicinity of some wagons loaded with straw. However there was no damage.

### Fall Festival Souvenir Cards.

People living in suburban cities have hit upon an ingenious plan to get a collection of magnificent souvenir postals. They are writing Cincinnati friends and acquaintances asking a reply on one of the new Fall Festival Souvenir postals. A Queen City Lithographing firm has issued a set of twelve different colored designs. They are the finest ever put out in the interest of any international exposition.

Some criticism fell upon the fair board for not having the cattle show before Friday. While it may be better for the fair board to have the show on this day, it does not do the stockmen any good. Thursday is the largest day of the fair week and many hundreds of people pass the cattle stalls and do not find any premiums. This is somewhat against the exhibitor unless accompanied by an explanation, something which would be impossible to give to all. It is not merely a matter of money in the premiums for the stockman, it is the advertisement he derives from the constant success of his herd.

The Uncle Tom's Cabin Co., which shows here Thursday, Aug. 16, comes highly recommended, having played in such towns as Dayton, Cincinnati and Columbus last season. The play is refined and given in the best manner possible. Thirty two people accompany the show. In the evening the band will give a concert, and in the morning a parade will be given. The show is first class and satisfaction is guaranteed.

Detroit, presbytery Y. P. C. U., will hold its annual convention at Commerce, Mich., Aug. 23-24. Rev. W. A. Chambers, of Brimley, O., and Rev. F. O. Row, of Cedarville, O., are to make addresses. Midland, Dr. Joseph Kyle, of Xenia, will preach in the R. P. church (Dr. Morton's) at 11 o'clock tomorrow.

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### COURT NEWS.

Probate Judge has finished his report for the year ending March 31, 1901. Deaths, 356; births, 418; marriages, 295; June being the highest month with 33, March the lowest with only 13 to her credit. To reform school, 20; insane asylum, 23; epileptic asylum, 1; letters of guardianship, 38, including forty children; wills admitted to probate, 48; letters testamentary, 41; letters of administration, 63.

Orin A. Huffman has brought suit against her former husband, S. D. Huffman for \$370. Her petition states that they were divorced on account of gross neglect of the defendant, and at that time she was awarded the care of the daughter. She says she has cared for the girl at an expense of \$120 a year and asks the above amount. Frank H. Dean, attorney for plaintiff.

### REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

Joanna Jones to F. E. James, lot 87, Ballbrook, \$800.

Wm. Seelar and wife to Nancy Archer, 19.75 a. Jefferson, \$900.

Howard Smith et al to Edith Smith, 121.02 a. Cedarville, \$1.

Edith Smith et al to Wm. Smith, 100 a. Cedarville, \$1.

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Enoch Waller to Laura Waller, 1 a. Jefferson, \$1.

Georgiana Dawson to Theodore Dawson, lot, Yellow Springs, \$40.

Caroline Cavender to C. H. Jenkins, lot, Jamestown, \$450.

Jas. McCann to W. B. Harrison, 141.74 a. Spring Valley and Xenia Twp., \$2875.

W. B. Harrison to G. W. Fudge, land, Spring Valley and Xenia Twp., \$6390.

Robert Kelble to Mary A. Benjamin, lot 1 and 2, Drake's add, Xenia, \$1100.

Chas. W. McDonald to A. R. Sanderson, 77.58 a. Xenia, \$4000.

Ervin Bros. to Adelle Keenan, lot, Hinton's add, Xenia, \$500.

The Collins family reunion will be held Tuesday of next week, upon the campus of Wilberforce University, this being a central point for the large family connection, who are residents of this section. A full turnout is anticipated, as it is three years since the last gathering of the relationship.

Messrs. H. M. Barber, W. H. Blair, C. M. Crouse, John Ross, Mayor Wolford, and Mr. Fairchild, of Morrow, comprised a party which drove over to Clifton Thursday evening and spent several hours at Camp Sport. The affair was in honor of the latter, as he is a great lover of outdoor sports and recreation.

The M. E. Church, including the S. School, Epworth League and entire membership will hold their annual picnic next Thursday, particulars will be announced at Sabbath morning and evening services.

Miss Edna Wolford left last evening for Springfield, where she will meet her sister, Bernice, and go to the lakes for a couple of weeks outing. They probably will attend the exposition at Buffalo before their return.

Mrs. Sadie Sroufe and two daughters, and Misses Della Ford and Flora Marshall joined a Sabbath School picnic from Enon, Thursday, and spent a delightful day at Sider's Park, Springfield.

Rev. Ross was in Greenfield, Tuesday where he delivered an address. He will deliver an address next Friday at a Sabbath school picnic, at S. Charleston.

The party which left here several days ago for Chattanooga, N. Y., have all returned after a very pleasant trip.

—If you want anything good, go to Gray's.

### BY THE WAY.

In a case of park kissing, a Springfield, Mo., judge has just decided that "it is no crime for a man to kiss a lady if she is willing; that the kissing cannot disturb the peace of anyone, if it is conducted in a gentlemanly manner and with reasonable moderation." The young people of Springfield will look upon this judge as a Solomon, and perhaps he is one. They may kiss in moderation in the parks before marriage; after marriage they may not kiss at all.

We heard of a man here the other day who is so opposed to cement walks that he will not even walk on the crossings, but walks around them just to show what contempt he has for paving of that kind. The Lift Paving Co. ought to throttle him.

A man in this town was told about a "fifth wheel" in a wagon and he did not believe it had a fifth wheel and probably does not believe it yet. He thought a fifth wheel was like a "quadrant splitter" or a "lead tempering" machine in a printing office.

One of our married ladies got up one night last week when it was raining to go down and close some doors. There was a cat on the front porch and when she had the doors shut, she was so sleepy that she dropped down on the cat and went to sleep, thinking it was the bed up stairs. Which is almost as absurd minded as Charles Lamb, who came home through a drenching rain one night and put his umbrella to bed and hung himself up behind the door to dry. If you don't believe this—about Lamb—ask Jurkat.

People would be better off without a weather report because they would not worry about what is to come. Just a mere hint, Tom, to prevent wear and tear of brains.

We heard this at Smith & Silvey's, and you always get things correct there, even hair cuts, that a young lady of this town sat in the bath tub several hours one of our hottest Sundays, reading an historical novel. Bath tubs are a great help to literary pursuits if you should happen to think about it. There are lots of people who ought to sit in a bath tub long enough to read through the Bible.

The New York Journal which has been energetic in speaking for Schley, declares that ninety-nine per cent of the American people thoroughly believe in him. We have no doubt that its arithmetic is correct. The other one per cent is made up of Sampson, the bureau ring and the Historian (?) Maclay.

Rev. Presley Thompson will fill the pulpit at the U. P. church, tomorrow morning.

THIS IS AN ADVERTISEMENT.

If you are looking for a laxative, Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin is IT. The convenience and merit of this remedy will be explained to your satisfaction by C. M. Ridgway.

Long's Uncle Tom's Cabin Aug. 15. Don't forget the date.

HAVE YOU SEEN IT?

We keep Dr. Caldwell's Syrup in plain view, but if you don't happen to see it, why ask for it. The manufacturer guarantees it to cure Dyspepsia and all forms of Stomach Troubles. Sold by C. M. Ridgway.

Go to Cooper's for the best bread, cakes and crackers.

Dr. Frank S. Morris, of McCool Junction, Neb., keeps in communication by means of carrier doves with patients living over a circuit of fifty miles.

### SAMPSON FIFTY MILES AWAY.

The game was up and the yellow sun rose on a tragedy unbegun; A tragedy dire, whose lifting tide Would send its billows both far and wide.

The game was up and Cervera knew That life for him and his swartly crew Was slim as fate when the furia play And mold men's lives out of fitful clay.

And Sampson was fifty miles away. Swift curled the smoke from the funnels grim Of Cervera's fleet as it steamed within The hill-looked bay of the tropic lea.

Where Nature had lavished her fairest smile: A thousand men with hearts aflame, With bloody thoughts and never a shame.

Were ready to die to save the day; And hell's lips whetted with thoughts of fray.

And Sampson was fifty miles away. Vicious and sullen, black dogs of war, Eager to slay, with rapacious maw, Cervera's ships with their promise of sin.

Swept into the tide where the light was thin; A storm of fury—in single file. Each ship majestic, imposing pile, Slept after ship and in battle array— And Sampson still fifty miles away.

Gray-winged the gulls o'er the amber sea. And gray-birded the fleet near the rocky lee; Grayly the smoke in derision curled As the breeches closed and the shells were hurled;

But hot were the hearts of a thousand foes For the other's blood; and the rain of blows Which fell and fell as the smoke hung gray.

And thus while Cervera risked the day, And Sampson was fifty miles away. Muttters of thunder and crash of steel; Echoes awoken, are shaken and reel; Flimsy the fabric of steel and oak Which helpless lies in a cloud of smoke, Gray-winged the gull as it shrieks in fear,

And gray the bulks which are shattered here; Riven and blistered, grim betacombs Where dead and dying must find their tombs, And yet in the face of this mighty fray.

When Schley and Silvey won the day, And Sampson was fifty miles away.

Up goes the flag, and the story's told; A tale that sounds like tale of old; A tale of tyranny buried deep, Of men who fought and of men who sleep.

'Neath the wave which laps fair Cuba's shore And of Empire crushed forevermore. And now 'tis over, and close of day; No need of questioning me, I pray, If Sampson is fifty miles away.

—H. M. Mayo in New Orleans Times-Democrat.

### Dayton's Gale Week.

Dayton's Gale Week and Carnival, which is to be held during the entire week, beginning Monday, September 24, will be notable in many respects. Special effort is to be made by the business men in decorating the city; there will be numerous free attractions, besides the great Bostock Shows, which constitute about a dozen separate attractions.

A number of Cedarvillians were on duty at the county fair this week. Messrs Andrew Winter and Will Spencer had charge of the gate across the track, while Will Stevenson, H. M. Stormont, Ralph Murdock and J. S. Brown had charge of the grandstand, under T. B. Andrew's direction, he being the member in charge.

Anna Dinmore Collins daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Collins will celebrate her sixteenth birthday this afternoon, by entertaining about twenty of her little friends to tea, at her home east of town. A merry group of lads and lassies it will be.

Slot machines in Yellow Springs have been ordered out by the officials.

The county fair was well represented by the people from this place. The condition of the grounds was not as desirable as it might have been. The exhibitions were all good, and a large display of articles in most every line. One thing noticeable was that the fruit exhibit was very short. As for attendance, Thursday the crowd was the largest in years, some placing the number at 15000. The principal race was the 2:11 pace, which proved to be very exciting, the best time being 2:15 1/2. Thos. Dwyer, of James town, winning three straight heats with Little Frank.

Progress on the work on the new R. P. Church is very slow. Everything is ready for the carpenters, who are delayed by not having the timber. The joists which are needed first, have been ordered two months or more, and word from the shipping point has been received a number of times to the effect that the timber has been forwarded. It has evidently been lost on the way as no trace can be found of it.

The loss along the railroad, caused by the burning grass will amount to a large sum unless we have rain soon. Several fields are wholly or partially burned between here and Xenia, and we understand some four or five racks of hay besides rods of fences have been consumed. Persons living alongside the railroad are exercising the greatest of care and watchfulness during the dry spell.

Several reports have been current here this week, but none can be verified. It was stated that Homer Jobe's barn and barn burned Thursday afternoon, and also that Chester Owens had been injured in a wreck at the Jasper crossing, in Xenia Wednesday. There seems to be no foundation for these reports, and it seems a mystery as to how they originated.

The time is now up for all those who have not paid their taxes to avoid the 15 per cent penalty. This corporation as well as the township holds a very good record to that but few pieces of property go to sale for taxes, and we would like to see it kept up to the standard.

Miss Sarah Stewart, of Springfield, is the guest of Miss Clara McMillan.

Mr. E. W. Hagar and family left Thursday for Atlantic City, N. J.

Fresh Milch cow for sale. Inquire of Henry Kyle.

Opportunity Lacking Nowadays.

"There is no such chivalry as there was in olden times," said the woman with a romantic disposition. "In those days men went out and fought and did great deeds for the sake of a fair lady."

"Well," answered her husband, "we don't have the opportunities those people enjoyed. There are a whole lot of men nowadays who wouldn't like anything better than to do as those people did, and let their wives live with relations while they go around the country looking for excitement."—Washington Star.

## August Prices

### ON SUMMER GOODS

Ladies' White Shirt Waists, all reduced in price.  
Dressing Saques about one-half price.  
10c Lawns reduced to 5c.  
Scotch Gingham now 12 1/2c.  
Fancy Hose 50 cent grade, 39c.  
Fancy Hose 40 cent grade, 25c.  
Summer Underwear at reduced prices.  
\$1.00 Sailor Hats now 50c.  
Flowers, all reduced to 10 and 25c a bunch.

Special Low Prices on  
Domestics during August.

Jobe Bros & Co  
XENIA, OHIO.



# The Herald.

\$1.00 A YEAR.

KARL HULL, Editor and Proprietor.

SATURDAY, AUGUST 10, 1901.

Br'er Bryan's attention is respectfully called to the things the Ohio democrats are doing to him and his platform.

The bucking automobile is an old story, but Prof. Porter, of Lafayette college, had an experience with an automobile that turned a somersault and scalded him. This sort of thing is what prevents the addition of an automobile to our outfit.

If the London financial papers can get any satisfaction out of predicting an American crisis, pray, let them keep at it. There was a time when such predictions might have injured business in this country, but we are now financially and industrially independent of the whole world.

"Better late than never" is applicable to the action of the Pennsylvania legislature in appropriating \$1,500 to suitably mark the grave of Gen. Samuel Meridith, who gave \$25,000 to help support Washington's army at Valley Forge and who was the first Treasurer of the U. S. The grave is in Wayne county.

NEVER LIKE A FLAT IRON.  
A woman who suffered for three years from nervous prostration says two bottles of Light's Cerebral Nerve Compound effected a complete cure. She hardly knows today whether she has nerves or not, as she never feels them. It is certainly a wonderful remedy. Sold by C. M. Ridgway.

LIST OF LETTERS.  
List of letters remaining uncalled for in the Cedarville postoffice for the month ending July 20, 1901.  
List No. 30.  
Heaton, Mrs. Addie.  
T. N. Tarnox, P. M.

STOPS COLDS.  
when you feel one coming on by taking Krause's Cold Cure. Prepared in convenient capsules that cure while you work. Price 25c. Sold by C. M. Ridgway.

Every Man His Own Foot Rule.  
Your hands and arms will make good substitutes for a foot rule or a tape measure. The first finger is usually 4 inches long, 2 inches from the knuckle to the next joint and 2 inches more to the tip. From the tip of the middle finger to the elbow is about 16 inches on an average, and the distance from finger tip to finger tip of the outstretched hands is about 6 feet. Individuals vary in these respects. But if once for all you measure the exact length of your finger, your arm, your outstretched hands and your foot or foot you will have permanent measures always with you.

THE ONLY HEADACHE CURE.  
Frank J. Baker, of Colorado Springs, says: "Krause's Headache Capsules is the only remedy that ever checked my sick headache and I have cured scores of my friends with them." Price 25c. Sold by C. M. Ridgway.

THERE IS SO MUCH NEWS  
that even if comes by telegraph we overlook some of it. Isn't it a fact that you have seen Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin advertised several times and have neglected to try it? An ounce of Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin is as good as a three week vacation. Ask any druggist or anyone who has taken it. Sold by C. M. Ridgway.

Exercise and Exposure.  
By all means take as much exercise as you can and be in the open air as much as possible. Outdoor life is the natural condition of mankind, and the more one can have of it the better. The practice must not be carried to extremes, however. There are many days when one is much better off in a warm, comfortable, well ventilated house than trying to take outdoor exercise in a midwinter storm or under a July sun, and no one ever strengthened his constitution by sleeping with his bedroom window open with the outside temperature at zero.

Steps To Cough And Cures Of The Cold.  
Laxative Bromo-Quinine Tablets cure a cold in one day. No cure, no pay. Price 25 cents.

EVILS OF ANTIPIRYNE.  
The use of antipyrine for the relief and cure of headaches has a depressing influence on the heart, and causes a derangement of the kidneys. Krause's Headache Capsules contain no antipyrine, chloral, morphine or any injurious ingredient. They cure quickly and leave the head clear and cool. Price 25c. Sold by C. M. Ridgway.

Vegetarian.  
Baked Beans.  
With Tomato Sauce.  
No Meat, No Fat.  
At Only.

**900 DROPS**  
**CASTORIA**  
A Vegetable Preparation for Assimilating the Food and Regulating the Stomach and Bowels of  
**INFANTS & CHILDREN**  
Promotes Digestion, Cheerfulness and Rest. Contains neither Opium, Morphine nor Mineral.  
**NOT NARCOTIC.**  
Drops of Old Dr. Samuel's  
Pain-Expeller  
Castoria  
Is the Best  
Laxative  
For  
Children  
A Perfect Remedy for Constipation, Sour Stomach, Diarrhoea, Worms, Convulsions, Feverishness and Loss of Sleep.  
Fac-Simile Signature of  
Dr. H. H. H. H.  
NEW YORK  
At 6 months old  
35 Doses - 35 CENTS  
EXACT COPY OF WRAPPER.

**CASTORIA**  
For Infants and Children.  
The Kind You Have Always Bought Bears the Signature of  
*Dr. H. H. H. H.*  
In Use For Over Thirty Years  
**CASTORIA**  
THE CASTORIA COMPANY, NEW YORK CITY.

**Linoleum...**  
Housekeepers will want their kitchens covered; fine assortment... 45, 50, 60c  
**Matings...**  
We are still selling at the lowest price... 124 to 30c  
**Window Shades...**  
Lace Curtains \$1.00 to \$1.25 a pair down to... 50c  
**Wash and Silk Goods...**  
Never have we had such a fine assortment of good shades, new goods for Dresses and Waists.  
**Suit Rooms...**  
Suits... \$5.00 to \$18.00  
Waists Silk... \$2.75 to \$5.75  
Waists Wash... 45c to \$2.00  
Petticoats... 50c to \$5.00  
Underwear, all grades.  
Percale, yd wide, 5c. Prints, 4c. Sheeting 5c  
**Hutchison & Gibney**

A Good Thing.  
German Syrup is the special prescription of Dr. A. Boscche, a celebrated German Physician, and is acknowledged to be one of the most fortunate discoveries in medicine. It quickly cures Coughs, Colds and all Lung troubles of the severest nature, removing, as it does, the cause of the affection and leaving the parts in a strong and healthy condition. It is not an experimental medicine, but has stood the test of years, giving satisfaction in every case, which its rapidly increasing sale, every season confirms. Two million bottles sold annually. Boscche's German Syrup was introduced in the United States in 1888, and is now sold in every town and village in the civilized world. Three doses will relieve any ordinary cough. Price 75c. Get Green's Prize Almanac.

How Governor Dockery of Missouri Practiced What He Preached.  
The governor of Missouri is Mr. Alexander Monroe Dockery, for many years a prominent figure in congress. Governor Dockery is a politician who frequently practices what he preaches. He preaches the doctrine of complete citizenship. He believes that a man should serve on a jury when called upon to do so; that he should pay taxes fully and faithfully, and that he should vote as regularly and frequently as the law allows. Not long ago he spoke of some of these ideas to one of his constituents in Gallatin, Mo., whereupon the citizen, regarding his congressman somewhat familiarly, said: "That's all right for you to talk in that way, Aleck, but what if you were asked to work out your poll tax on the road, as many men do out here?"  
"I won't wait to be asked," the coming governor exclaimed. "I'll do it, anyhow."  
And, sure enough, it wasn't long until Mr. Dockery, with sleeves rolled up, was busy in the clay in support of his notions of good citizenship.

**LOSING FLESH**  
In summer can be prevented by taking  
**Scott's Emulsion**  
It is as beneficial in summer as in winter. If you are weak or run down, it will build you up.  
Send for free sample.  
SCOTT & BOWNE, Chicago, New York, 405 Pearl Street, New York City.  
Beware of cheap imitations.

**AKRON ROUTE CHANGES.**  
IMPORTANT TO CHAUTAQUA LAKE AND PAN-AMERICAN EXPOSITION VISITORS.  
Beginning with Sunday, Aug. 12th, the through time and through service over The Akron Route to Chautauqua Lake and Buffalo shows an important revision.  
The Buffalo Express becomes the Chautauqua Lake Express, leaving Xenia at 10:17 a. m., and runs only to Jamestown, reaching that point at 10:30 p. m. This train has Coaches and Sleeping Cars to Columbus; Parlor Car and Coaches Cincinnati to Akron and Akron to Jamestown (Chautauqua Lake). The Sleeping Car heretofore running from Cincinnati to Buffalo on this train is taken by the Exposition Express, leaving Xenia at 10:10 p. m., arriving Chautauqua Lake about 11 a. m., Buffalo at 1:35 p. m. The Exposition Express also has Sleeping Cars and Coaches to Columbus, and Coach service Columbus to Akron, and to Buffalo daily.  
The Pan-American Express leaving Xenia at 6:25 p. m., continues with same service as heretofore, viz: Sleeping Cars and Coaches to Columbus, and Sleeping Car and first-class Coach from Nashville through Louisville, Cincinnati and Columbus to Buffalo, running a solid train from Columbus to Chautauqua Lake and the Pan-American Exposition, reaching Chautauqua Lake about 6 a. m., Buffalo 8:15 a. m.  
Low Fares to Chautauqua Lake and Buffalo over the Akron Route are in effect every day. Reduced rate tickets to Niagara Falls and Canadian resorts with stop-overs at Chautauqua Lake and the Pan-American can be obtained daily via this route, over which tickets to New York with stop-over privilege at Buffalo may also be secured. Full particulars will be furnished upon application to local ticket agents or to C. C. Haines, D. P. Agt., Dayton, Ohio.

**FARES TO BUFFALO.**  
Over The Akron Route for Pan-American Exposition.  
Excursion tickets to Buffalo over the Akron Route via Chautauqua Lake for the Pan-American Exposition are now on sale at ticket offices of the Pennsylvania Lines and connecting railways. Fares from Cedarville are as follows:  
Tickets good returning ten days, \$10.90.  
Tickets good returning fifteen days, \$13.20.  
Season tickets with return limit until Oct. 31st, \$16.35.  
Special Coach excursion tickets good leaving Buffalo up to midnight of Thursday following date of sale may be obtained on Tuesdays at \$7.35.  
Tourist tickets at special fares may also be obtained for trips to resorts in Canada. All tickets to Canada and Eastern points, including New York, will be good for stop-over at the Pan-American Exposition on payment of \$1 extra at Buffalo.

Stop-overs at Chautauqua Lake will be allowed on all tickets to Buffalo and Eastern points, without extra cost. For schedules showing convenient through passenger service to Buffalo and other information, please apply to E. S. Keyes, ticket agent, Cedarville, O.

**Change in Time of Trains.**  
Under a new schedule in effect May 26, 1901, passenger trains over the Pennsylvania Lines leave Cedarville station as follows:  
For the East, 7:21 a. m., 4:41 p. m.  
For the West, 10:17 a. m., 3:30 p. m., and 8:54 p. m.  
For particular information on the subject apply to E. S. Keyes, Ticket Agent, Cedarville, O.

**TO BUFFALO BY BOAT.**  
In addition to the through time and through car service to Buffalo over Akron Route, the trip to Pan-American Exposition may be made via Cleveland and steamer by taking trains running over the C. & C. line of the Akron Route to Cleveland where they connect with the boat line. Tickets to Buffalo and return via Cleveland over the C. & C. may be obtained giving the purchaser the option of Boat or Rail between Cleveland and Buffalo. For particulars apply to E. S. Keyes, Agent, Cedarville, O.

**SPECIAL STOPS FOR PAN-AMERICAN EXPOSITION.**  
The Erie Railroad Company announces arrangements have been made to stop the Pan-American Express over the Akron Route (Train No. 44 on the Erie Railroad) at stations between Akron and Medville to let off passengers holding tickets from Columbus and points west thereof, upon application to Conductor.

A New York trip with stop-over privileges at the Pan-American Exposition, may be made on low fare excursion tickets obtainable at Pennsylvania Lines ticket offices after July 1.

"My baby was terribly sick with the diarrhoea," says J. H. Doak, of Williams, Oregon. "We were unable to cure him with the doctor's assistance, and as a last resort we tried Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. I am happy to say it gave immediate relief and a complete cure." For sale by C. M. Ridgway.

Uncle Tom never dies, neither does the show. See it Aug. 15th.

Through the months of June and July our baby was teething and a running off of the bowels and sickness of the stomach," says O. P. M. Holliday, of Denning, Ind. "His bowels would move from five to eight times a day. I had bottle of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy in the house and gave him four drops in a teaspoonful of water and he got better at once." Sold by C. M. Ridgway.

Ribbons worth 25, 35 and 45c per yard for 15c at Hutchison & Gibney, Xenia, Ohio.

What most people want is something mild and gentle, when in need of a physic. Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets fill the bill to a dot. They are easy to take and pleasant in effect. For sale by C. M. Ridgway.

Teas, Coffee and Cigars at Gray's

The laws of health require that the bowels move once each day and one of the penalties for violating this law is piles. Keep your bowels regular by taking a dose of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets when necessary and you will never have that severe punishment inflicted upon you. Price 25 cents. For sale by C. M. Ridgway.

A choice line of all kinds of Groceries, at Gray's.

O. O. Buck, Belmar, Ark., says: "I was troubled with constipation until I bought DeWitt's Little Early Risers. Since then have been entirely cured of my old complaint. I recommend them." C. M. Ridgway.

The Prussian city of Cassel will be a thousand years old in 1913, while the French city of Marseilles was founded more than twenty hundred years ago, and Rome is 2654 years old.

If the action of your bowels is not easy and regular serious complications must be the final result. DeWitt's Little Early Risers will remove this danger. Safe, pleasant and effective. C. M. Ridgway.

An ordinance has been adopted by the town council of Yorkville, S. C., making it a misdemeanor for any person to be seen staggering on the streets of that town.

James White, Bryantville, Ind., says: "DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve healed running sores on both legs. I had suffered 6 years. Doctors failed to help him. Get DeWitt's. Accept no imitations." C. M. Ridgway.

**A MINISTER'S GOOD WORK.**  
"I had a severe attack of bilious colic, got a bottle of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy, took two doses and was entirely cured," says Rev. A. A. Power, of Emporia, Kan. "My neighbor across the street was sick for over a week, had two or three bottles of medicine from the doctor. He used them for three or four days without relief, then called in another doctor who treated him for some days and gave him no relief, so discharged him. I went over to see him the next morning. He said his bowels were in a terrible fix. That they had been running off so long it was almost bloody flux. I asked him if he had tried Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy and he said, 'No.' I went home and brought him my bottle and gave him one dose; told him to take another dose in fifteen or twenty minutes if he did not find relief, but he took no more and was entirely cured." For sale by C. M. Ridgway.

The new trolley line between New York and Connecticut promises a regular run of sixty miles an hour outside of city limits.

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The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, therefore destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength in assisting nature to do its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers, that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case in which it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials.  
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The running time between Dayton and Xenia is one hour, passing through Highlands, Smithville Road, Zimmerman, Alpha, Trebeins and Lucas Grove.  
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BLOODED TEAM OR STEAM ENGINE

Has Taken the Place of the Hard Old Way of Our Fathers Which Was Followed When the Plow was Made—County Exhibit—Railroad Rates—News of Ohio Exposition.

The Ohio Exposition at Columbus, Aug. 26 to Sept. 7, marks the half century of exhibitions given under the direction of the State Board of Agriculture. If they who managed the first state fair at Cincinnati could look upon the fifteenth, their astonishment would be greater at the wonderful variety of products shown than at the magnificent buildings and beautiful grounds which Ohio has set apart for the exhibition of its resources.

The first state fair was given in the day of the sickle, the scythe and the flail. The flail and the sickle today are memories or mementoes. Then the weary harvest bent low over the ripened wheat; today he rides easily after a spirited team upon a machine—an implement that seems to think—as it cuts the grain and gathers it neatly, binding and casting the sheaf aside, awaiting the shocker.

Not one of the old things is left, not even the pump in the well, or the old oxen, hauled. The stock which has succeeded the old sweep with its weight of stone. In paintings and etchings, the old well is beautiful, and in memory also, to the middle aged, for they who used them first have long been asleep. Notwithstanding the pictures or the memories, we will not go back to the sweep again nor to the windmill nor to the rope or chain.

In those old days the farmer made his wooden husking peg, save now and then an iron one the blacksmith fashioned at the forge. Today man stands before a hungry monster, whose bowels move by steam, and into its iron mouth whole shocks of corn are fed. The husker and shredder is at the fore now and the husking peg is laid away. It is not simply that steam threshers and stackers has taken the place of the flail, the riding cultivator the place of the hoe, the wheel plow drawn by engines or standard bred horses the place of the old bent beam, with its cast point, but in everything the farmer uses is seen the broad contrast between the things that have been put away and the things that are. It is because we have seen or have been told of the old way, and are permitted to witness the wonders of today, that the Ohio Exposition is a means of education.

The Good Old Days.  
Some love to talk of the good old days, but they were hard old days for the farmer. From all over the state, when it harvest is gathered, all but the corn, the farmer comes to the Exposition, and he has to the State Fair for years, to see what the magicians of 1901 are making for him.

Who of all that were present at the first state fair, with its two little sheds for stock and its two tents for other exhibits, would believe what the exposition of today would show, if some seer had foretold for them its wonders. The vision of St. John told not be more wonderful. How could he believe when he put away his corn-cutter that autumn day in 1850, and visited the first state fair, that when the exposition of 1901 arrived there would be a machine shown that could go into his corn field and cut the corn and bind it, and afterward, as has been said, husk it. A facetious man doubtless would have said, "I am something of a liar myself."

A word about Power Hall and its open machinery annex. Power Hall is 400 feet long by 66 feet wide, and possesses a powerful engine for driving all kinds of machinery on exhibition. In addition to those shown in Power Hall, there are ten acres of platted and laid off in streets for the exhibition of such machines as can be shown only in open space. Of this entire 10 acres, all is taken. Here will be found the portable and traction engines, threshers, hay-loaders, corn-huskers, stone-

crushers, feed-grinders, etc., etc. We have not advanced simply in machinery making, wonderful as many of them are. We have the bread horses, the draft and blood horses, a pitiful list compared with the present. Cattle made a better showing. There were Durhams, Davons, Herefords and Ayrshires.

A Bit of History.  
Some may be curious to know how it came there were Herefords and Ayrshires in this first exhibition, when what is known as "scrub" cattle was the rule. It came about in this way: Governor Worthington of Chillicothe and ex-Governor Trimble of Hillsboro and other wealthy aristocratic ex-Virginians, then prominent in southern Ohio, formed the first corporation for the importation of blooded cattle.

This was in 1834. Few farmers were able to purchase this imported stock, and in a session of this legislature a year or two later these gentlemen secured the passage of a bill authorizing villages and corporations to purchase a blooded animal, the same to be paid for out of a special tax.

This act gave rise to an old and in some localities, familiar expression—"The Corporation Bull." Colonel W. W. Bond of Columbus has in his possession the original papers on the subject.

Sheep were under three classes—Merinos, Long-wools and Middle-wools. There was no classified list of swine. Poultry and waterfowl had but nine varieties, all told. Today there are twenty classes of horses for which premiums are offered. There are twelve different breeds of cattle; ten of sheep; seven of swine, and forty-five of poultry, not including turkeys, ducks, geese or pigeons.

Ohio today is one of the great stock-raising states of the Union; great in her manufactures; great in her wealth of mills and mines; great in her agricultural products. It is well to know that all her varied productions, whether of the soil or of the human brain, will on August 26th be spread out like the text of a mighty scroll that all may read.

County Exhibits.

Up to within a year or two, save a few small county collections, premiums were paid individuals for the best bushel of potatoes or corn or wheat or whatever it might be, but how the county exhibits is the thing. It is educational because the visitor has before his vision an encyclopedia published by Omnipotence. Every product of the soil is on exhibition. The pumpkin, green and gold, potatoes, peas, parsnips, onions, beets, carrots, wheat, corn, oats, barley, rye, beans and every other product of the garden and field, useful to man, is collectively shown by county farmers' organizations, farmers' clubs and individuals interested in presenting in the best possible manner the harvests of the county.

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One of the most satisfactory colors to use for table decoration is rose pink, which bears the light of sun and artificial lights without much change. Blue often becomes green, and vice versa, under the influence of gas or electricity. Violet changes its hue, and yellow appears faded and pale away from the sun. Red is a trifle dangerous in combination and contrast, although very cheerful and effective if used in winter, when warm tints are acceptable. Foliage green is always pleasing, especially in summer, when ferns are obtainable everywhere outside of city limits. Large and small ferns will keep their fresh greenness if when gathered they are placed one over the other compactly on a thin piece of board or cardboard, and then sprinkled or even immersed in cold water and kept in a cool, dark place for several hours. Ferns so treated have been used 24 hours later for church decoration and were as fresh as when growing on their native mold.

A pretty table decoration consists of a circular mirror, with silver mounting if possible, set in the center of a fine white linen cloth or pink embroidered centerpiece. On the mirror rests a glass bowl filled with pink roses, while a wreath of asparagus fern encircles it, and one end is continued to a central chandelier directly over the table. Candelabra of glass or silver, holding pink candles and pink silk or paper shades, throw a soft glow over the table.—Good Housekeeping.

THE PRESIDENT  
of the American Federation of Labor Union 3,214, says: "I am using your Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin myself and in my family, and find it does lots of good.—Yours Truly, Geo. C. Campbell, Clinton, Iowa." Sold by C. M. Ridgway.

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## Local and Personal.

Carl Minzer is out again this season with Robt. Watt's sheep and hogs.

Mrs. D. S. Ervin and Miss Mary Murdock have returned from a visit of several weeks with friends in Minnesota.

A number of our citizens have on various days of the past week, visited in Springfield to observe the Centennial celebration.

George Irvine has handsomely embellished his house with several coats of paint.

\$1.25 Sunday Excursion to Cincinnati via Pennsylvania Lines, August 11th, special train leaves Cedarville at 9:00 a. m.

Calvin Morton returned from Buffalo and Chautauqua the first of the week after a visit of nearly ten days at those points. Cal says that it was cold there for several days.

For the best galvanized iron water tanks and troughs see Pierce & Stewart as they will quote you lowest prices.

New Crop California Apricots, Peaches, Prunes, Grapes and Raisins at Gray's.

Miss Emma Templeton, who is employed at the Dayton State Hospital, is spending her vacation at her home at this place.

Mr. A. Brown, of Moonmouth, Ill., has been the guest of Miss Junia Pollock for several days this week.

Neil Stire, of Xenia, has been assisting with the work at Ridgway & Co's. drug store this week.

Fly Nets, Horse Covers, at Dora's, at prices that no one need be without.

The building commission for the court house met, Tuesday, and made another allowance of \$5400 to the contractors. They also selected the clock for the tower.

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The committee on finance, for conducting the local option election in Xenia in September, so we are informed, raised over \$200 the first day. The people now have the assurance that the election will be held, as it only requires about \$250 for expenses.

Pickles, sweet, sour and mixed at Cooper's.

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Eruptions, cuts, burns, scalds and sores of all kinds quickly healed by DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve. Certain cure for piles. Beware of Counterfeits. Be sure you get the original—DeWitt's. C. M. Ridgway.

George Harper is slowly improving from a protracted attack of rheumatism.

Andrew and "Buster" Jones each had too much "red eye" aboard, Tuesday night and went home intending to clean up the place. Both their wives complained of rough treatment to the officers and Marshal Grindle arrested the men. It developed that Andrew was the principal aggressor and Mayor Wolford fined him \$5, costs and 15 days in the works. "Buster" drew \$5.00, which he agreed to pay in ten days.

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Mrs. John Besoham, Misses Alice Rodgers, Anna Ryan and Lillie Glosinger, of Xenia, spent Sunday here the guests of Mrs. Myrtle Beacham.

The school board has decided to open school the second Monday in September.

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Unverified by officials of the D. S. and U. yet nevertheless coming from what may be well termed trustworthy sources, it has developed that the D. S. and U. has a hand in the proposed application of electricity to the Little Miami branch of the Pennsylvania railroad. It is said that the contract by which this deal will go into effect is already signed and it is intimated that the D. S. and U. has taken this means to overcome obstacles in the way of obtaining a right of way on West Pleasant street. Springfield, Ohio.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Van Horn and daughter were entertained at dinner at the home Mr. and Mrs. D. S. Ervin, Wednesday.

Little Wilma Spenser visited in Jamestown this week, accompanied by Mrs. J. M. Bull.

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Mr. Gibson, who had been lying sick at the home of D. J. O. Stewart, was taken to his home near Columbus last Saturday morning. He was unable to walk and was taken on a cot. Later reports from home are not very encouraging, one of the best physicians in Columbus saying they only have hope for a change.

A number of the street crossings are in bad condition, so much mud having accumulated thereon. When this deposit is wet by the street sprinkler it makes the crossings slippery and dangerous, let alone the inconvenience of crossing in the mud. This is one reason why so much dirt is carried to the sidewalks.

In cases of cough or croup give the little one One Minute Cough Cure. Phenylephrine and have no more. The child will be all right in a little while. It never fails. Pleasant to take, always safe, sure and almost instantaneous in effect. C. M. Ridgway.

A Mr. Fairbanks of Morrow was in town several days this week, introducing a new gasoline lamp for house and street use. A double lamp was placed in Ridgway & Co's. drug store and shows up very well. A large street lamp was placed at Gray's corner and the contrast was quite marked between the old style and the present. One feature of the lamp is the operating expense, which is claimed to be very low.

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MEN'S FINE ALL-WOOL SUITS, "Vitals Brand" that sold at \$7.50, \$8 and \$9, all placed on one table and offered in challenge sale at.....

\$ 4.75

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MEN'S FINEST CASSIMERE, Cheviot and Worsted Suits, mostly in the Stein-Block make, blue serge and black clays, in this lot \$16, \$18 and \$20.00 values, now in challenge sale at.....

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CHOICE of all Trousers in good, well made and neat fitting styles, were \$1.50 and \$1.75, challenge price.....

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CHOICE all \$2 Trousers in Sweet Orr & Co. make, never rip and very slightly styles, the challenge sale price.....

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ALL \$2.50 and \$3.00 Trousers in extra nice patterns, dressy and up-to-date, challenge price.....

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FOUR and Five Dollar Trousers, all wool and very stylish for dress and business, now.....

\$3.50

CHOICE of all finest Trousers, celebrated "Paragon" brand, \$6, \$7 and \$8 values, the challenge price.....

\$4.98



ALL OUR \$5, \$6 and \$7 Youth's Suits, age 12 to 20 yrs, now in challenge sale at.....

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ALL OUR \$8, \$9 and \$10 Youth's Suits, mostly the fine Hackett, Carhart make, now in this sale.....

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CHOICE of all finest Youth's Suits, a grand collection of beautiful styles, worth \$12 to \$16, at \$9.75

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5 to 16 Years.

Wash Suits, Regatta Brand, \$1 and \$1.25 grades, 3 years and up..... 79 Cts  
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Boys' \$5 and \$6 Suits, H. & C. make, beautiful styles, challenge sale price..... \$3.98  
Boys' all-wool Cassimere Suits, the celebrated Hackett, Carhart make, \$3.50 and \$4 grades, challenge sale price..... \$2.75  
Choice of all finest Derby 3-piece Suits, in finest material and workmanship, \$7.50, \$8 and \$9 values, challenge sale price..... \$6.25

#### Furnishings.

Over sixty dozen Wilson Bros., Negligee Shirts and Shirt Waists the \$1.25 and \$1.50 grades, sizes 14 to 18, in great challenge sale at.....

87c

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Twenty-five dozen wash bows and club ties the 50c quality in our great challenge sale at.....

50c

Handkerchief Winders, Wash Fuffs and Silk Band Bows, fifty dozen worth 25c, in challenge sale.....

10c

Nearly 75 dozen fine silk Bat Wing Ties, narrow Four-in-Hands and Ties 50c values, challenge price.....

25c



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Choice of finest \$4.50, \$5 and \$5.50, challenge price..... \$1.48  
All \$2.00 and \$1.50 straw hats, challenge price..... 90c  
All 50c and 75c straw hats, for men, boys and children, challenge price..... 30c  
All 25c and 35c straw hats, challenge price..... 10c  
Choice of all light colored soft and stiff hats, Steatons' excluded, regular price \$1, \$1.50 and \$3.00, challenge prices..... 87c, \$1.24, \$1.98

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Nearly 50 dozen men's fine 1/4 hosi, 50c, 75c, \$1 value, 35c or 2 pairs..... \$1.00  
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The regular mee held in the council evening, all mem except Northup, siders were present ing occupied. The business was taken ing the reports committees and allo The question in road that leads to l According to the sation has some 10c land on on the nor south Samuel Kil feet of the ground corporation. Upo Andrew the matter the clerks books dropped.

At this point Dr and asked permis council for a few represented the W an earnest address to take some action tion. In his remarks towns that have their success, that the air, as many t changing to or con tion. He says tha are all afire, and w gressive little city of with them. The ha Dow, of Bellefonta the ordinance in and this is the t sented to the couni eration. During th Mr. Andrew relate his company's trav regard to the cou where they had lo Bellefontaine, Ver towns had more t eness without albu The question went sideration.

Much to the sur auditors the clerk of chief engineer, J read as follows: "Council of the Vil O. Gentlemen:— resignation as chief fire department fr not necessary to su to take effect on Yours Very Respe Chief Engineer. of Mr Pierce the cr a good man, one his line. None of aware of the engin resign, and conse man in mind to tal Mr Fairbairns of out and asked the oil for a few mom make an explanat representing the Light Co. His strish 50 lights amounting to \$750 taken as no provie and the light fund The resignation Lean was taken a read as follows: "Hon. Mayor and corporation Village Gentlemen: I be ignation as council. Respectfully Subi Lean." Mayor Wolford council appoint a for at least thirty